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CLAIMS TO BE SQUARE MAN

Big Man With Good-Natured Face Submits Reasons Why—Built That Way.

"I don't want to blow my own horn," said the big man with the good-natured face, "but I think I come under the head of square men."

"Did you find a lost purse and restore it to some millionaire?" was asked.

"A little better than that, I think. Ten days before the state election a man came to me and asked:

"John, how do you think things are going to go?"

"All my way," I replied.

"Will it be a landslide?"

"Sure."

"But I'm told that it will go the other way."

"Don't you believe it. I'm seeing the signs in the sky. Bet my way. But even up. But all you've got. You'll be a sure winner!"

"And he took your advice, did he?"

"He did. Went right off and made a bet within an hour."

"And about the landslide?"

"It landed the other way. Yes, my party got buried ten feet deep."

"But where did the square deal come in?"

"Oh, I saw him afar off on the street next day and ran to him and handed him 50 cents."

"But—"

"He'd bet that and lost. It was his all. I restored it to him. Square deal, and he is a happy man. No compliments, gentlemen. I am built that way!"

When It Was Rougher.

Paul Withington, the Harvard coach, was praising the milder football of 1910.

"Football in the '90s was a terrible game," said Mr. Withington. "Bourget, you know, devoted a whole chapter of 'Outsides' to its horrors. Some of the outrages of the football of '90 or '91 are, in fact, almost incredible."

A Philadelphia sporting editor returned one November Saturday from West Philadelphia with a pale, frightened face.

"Many accidents at the game?" a police reporter asked him.

"One frightful accident," replied the sporting editor. "A powerful mule from a neighboring coal dealer's entered the field, blundered into one of the hottest scrimmages and got killed."

Ill-Mannered Chicken.

Little Robert, 3 years of age, went with his grandmother to the chicken park to see her feed the chickens.

When the little ones jumped upon the water dish and dipped their bills into the water, he cried: "Oh, grandmother, they are putting their feet on the table."

Its Office.

"This cork is very tight in your brandy bottle. I can't budge it."

"Yes, that's the nature of cork. It was put there to keep the bottle's spirits from going down."

The General Opinion.

"I hear you have a fine wife, old chap."

"I have; everybody thinks it's a great pity she married me."

Cause and Effect.

"He's a poet of passion, isn't he?"

"Yes; I've seen him fly into one when his verses were returned."

WONDERED WHY.

Found the Answer Was "Coffee."

Many pale, sickly persons wonder for years why they have to suffer so, and eventually discover that the drug—caffeine—in coffee is the main cause of the trouble.

"I was always very fond of coffee and drank it every day. I never had much flesh and often wondered why I was always so pale, thin and weak."

"About five years ago my health completely broke down and I was confined to my bed. My stomach was in such condition that I could hardly take sufficient nourishment to sustain life."

"During this time I was drinking coffee, didn't think I could do without it."

"After awhile I came to the conclusion that coffee was hurting me, and decided to give it up and try Postum."

"I didn't like the taste of it at first, but when it was made right—billed until dark and rich—I soon became fond of it."

"In one week I began to feel better. I could eat more and sleep better. My sick headaches were less frequent, and within five months I looked and felt like a new being, headache spells entirely gone."

"My health continued to improve and today I am well and strong, weigh 145 pounds. I attribute my present health to the life-giving qualities of Postum."

Read "The Road to Wellville" in plain English.

Ever read the above letter? A new one appears from time to time. They are genuine, true, and full of human interest.

MORAN AFTER LIGHTWEIGHT CROWN



Owen Moran, English Champion.

A tribute to Battling Nelson, a debt to Ad Wolgast and a few words to the wise were the sum and substance of the visit of Owen Moran in Chicago the other day. The clever Briton, the man who scored the first and only real knockout over the one-time durable Dane, travelled between trains on route for New York and fresh from his decisive triumphs on the coast.

Despite his sudden leap to fame and fortune, Moran lacked the supreme confidence which usually follows in the wake of unlooked-for victories.

Moran had nothing but praise for Nelson and cited a case to show the indomitable courage of the veteran lightweight. During the fight, when Nelson began to weaken, Moran claims he saw the final downfall of the Battler, and in the eleventh round, when the Dane was on his knees more than half the time, Moran implored him to quit, but the former champion came back for more.

"He would not stay down," said Moran in his own inimitable way, "and just before the count I merely pushed him over. It was not even a weak punch, but his strength was

NOTED ATHLETES AT CHICAGO

Martin Sheridan, Matt McGrath, Melvin Sheppard, Flanagan and Others at Windy City.

Chicagoans will have an opportunity to see Martin Sheridan, Matt McGrath, Melvin Sheppard, Flanagan and other athletes of New York and many



Martin Sheridan.

famous athletes of the country at the big indoor meet of the Chicago Irish-American Athletic club to be held January 14 at the Seventh regiment armory.

Club officials secured the building the other day and immediately President Sheridan of the C. I. A. A. C. left for New York, where he will make arrangements to have his brother Martin and the other point winners of the east enter the first indoor meet to be held by this club in Chicago.

Among the entrants also are the best athletes of the west and the south. It has been the object of the I. A. A. C. to build up an athletic team that can successfully compete with the men of Manhattan.

Many good men from the south and west have entered. St. Louis and New Orleans are expected to send their

sons and he lay there on the mat face down with his fighting spirit finally broken."

Moran gives a good part of the glory of his victory to his trainer, Jeff Perry, who vies with Billy Delaney for successive victories. Perry's latest score was in Moran's corner during the Nelson engagement, and he claims his next will be when he is advising the little Englishman when Wolgast is the other man. Perry trained Nelson for both fights when he whipped Gans and broke the fighting spirit of the now deceased old master. He then went to Wolgast and was in the corner of the Michigan wildcat when Nelson received his defeat at Point Richmond last February.

Moran is now looking longingly toward the lightweight crown, and until the opportunity to grasp it arrives he will shy clear of the fight game. A battle with Wolgast is the only thing that Moran will consider now, and he will camp on the trail of the title-holder until his wants are granted. Time can raise no barriers to the aspirations of the clever boxer, and if necessary he will wait a year until the champion's arm heals.

best athletes for the competition. In New Orleans the cause of athletics was given a big boost by the championships of the A. A. U. recently held there. The committee expects several of these southern athletes to appear at the Chicago athletes that competed there practically "made" their meet.

The manner in which the Irish-Americans among the leaders being A. J. Sheridan, John T. Cahill and J. J. Mahoney, have assumed control of athletics the last season has done a great deal to boom the cause in the middle west.

LAWN TENNIS RANKING LIST

Committee Issues Blanks to Players With View to Systematize Sport in All Its Branches.

Seeking to obtain the fullest lawn tennis information possible upon which to establish the national ranking list for the season of 1910, the committee recently issued blanks to the players. As one of the officials stated: "The sport is now to be systematized in all its branches." In its comprehensive scope, the document issued is the work of the committee, Edwin E. Torrey, Jr., chairman, of Clinton, N. Y.; Miles S. Charlock, secretary of the Crescent Athletic club, and Henry Torrence, Jr., of the Englewood Field club. There is much more important and far-reaching action contained in the obvious request for the player's record in tournament and championship than the tabulated form reveals. The buff-colored sheet of paper is nothing short of the herald of the new era in American lawn tennis.

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Bubbling Water Sets New Mark. Bubbling Water, in winning the Sombrober handicap at Oakland, Cal., established a new world's record for a mile and seventy yards, running the distance in 1:42:15. The previous mark of 1:42:25 was held by Kings daughter, Gania, Ida May and Tony Bonero, the first two over the Fort Erie track and the latter two at Latonia. Bubbling Water carried 121 pounds and after suffering interference beat Chester Krum a head.

Highlanders at Richmond. The New York Highlanders will do their training in Richmond, Va., next season, it is said. The Highlanders will play three games early in April in Cincinnati with the Reds, under the watchful eye of the chairman of the supreme court of baseball

RICHIE NOT YET STARTED

One of Hardest Working and Most Deceptive Pitchers in National League Has Hopes.

By LOU RICHIE.

The mortgage was due. Little Looie had to save the old homestead. He had tried to make an honest living, but at the tender age of fifteen he threw down his trusty hoe, picked up a baseball and determined to become a white slave of the national commission.

Every one refused to take him earnestly, even himself. He saw that there was no chance for him as a baseball tragedian, they were so unmerciful, so he jumped into the comedy line. Every one said: "He's a good entertainer even if he can't pitch." And every batter who ever thought he could hit 300 (which includes all of them) grabbed bats and hurried to welcome little Lou. He started in eastern Pennsylvania, but after a time the league asked him to quit because the batters were knocking down the fences.

Finally little Looie grew desperate. The mortgage was about due and his dog was starving. He went back and tried the hoe again, but he had lost control. Besides every time the hoe accidentally jerked a spud out of the ground Looie, practiced throwin' g



Lou Richie.

curves with it. He threw all his employer's crap into a neighbor's yard, and just for that he was fired. The mortgage was overdue. One day little Looie picked up a large round spud. It was the turning point. He shied it at a cat and as the spud flew through the air it curved suddenly and hit the cruel monster who owned the mortgage. Anxious to perfect this great curve little Looie kept looking curve potatoes at the cruel financier until he resembled a potato pancake. The next day he took his curve to Philadelphia and was signed to pitch for the Phillies, and cheer up gloomy athletes who wanted to leap into the Delaware river because their battling averages were not .337. For this they paid him enough salary to support himself in the style to which he had not been accustomed and to pay the mortgage.

The manager told him he could pitch for sour apples. They said he was a comedian, both on and off of the slab. That broke his tender heart. The peerless leader of the Chicago Cubs purchased him and permitted him to warm up almost every day and occasionally pitch a game. He didn't care how many hits they made, he let poor Lou stay. And Lou has stayed this long and expects to be champion of the world. As for getting my start I haven't got it yet.

SPORTING GOSSIP

Abe Attell is one of the gamest fighters who ever drew on a glove. Hugo Kelly has agreed, it is said, to box Sam Langford out in Los Angeles.

Now the umpires have started to organize. They certainly need protection.

Joe Thicker says he was only fooling when he said he wanted to play third base, says a report.

One eastern baseball writer picks the Chicago White Sox and the Cleveland Naps to show the greatest improvement in 1911.

Willie Hoppe looks to be the most unbeatable thing we have in the world outside of the big and little champions of pugilism; that is, some amateur wrestlers are clamoring for hammerlocks and pin falls. They are treading ground dangerously close to professionalism.

What matters it how much Ad Wolgast wants to box Moran? Wolgast cannot box for several months, so what's the use of talking?

Lieutenant Nelly, head coach of the Army football team, wants the game between the Cadets and the Middies played at New York next year.

E. R. Bradley, a Chicago turfman, purchased a Kentucky farm the other day from Misses Sallie C. and Bessie Price, securing 385 acres for \$50,250.

Addie Loos, leading pitcher of the Cleveland Naps, is in a hospital in that city recovering from an operation. Addie says his broad-and-meast arm is as good as ever it was.

Hugh Duffy, the manager of the White Sox, recently came out of his winter shell long enough to make the statement that the South Side aggregation would be the one that Connie Mack would have to fight next year.

Catcher "Bill" Carrigan of the Boston Red Sox is to be decapitated along with several of his teammates. This doesn't mean that he will not have another lease of life in a strange uniform. Bill ought to bring something real valuable in the way of a swag.

VERACITY OF THE BIBLE

After a Visit to the Holy Land Even a Skeptic Must Be Convinced.

One thing cannot fail to impress every visitor to Bethlehem, and, indeed, to the Holy Land generally, who is imbued with true Christian faith and a proper sense of the sanctity of the location and of the events that have transpired there, and that is the more than remarkable correspondence between the things and places shown us today as having been associated with the life and work of the Saviour and other events that enter into the descriptions and accounts of them, as furnished us in the pages of the Holy Scriptures. They agree with them in every respect and it is impossible, after carefully considering and comparing them, to doubt their identity, so exactly are they in accord with the Bible narrative.

The work in the fields, the arrangement of the buildings, the very articles of diet and clothing of ancient days are plainly recognizable in the doings and surroundings of today. Indeed, where modern methods have not become obtrusive the manners and customs of the people remain much the same as in the days of the presence on earth of the Saviour. Between the descriptions given in the Bible of localities, climates and geographical conditions, distances, etc., of these times and those of today there is hardly any discrepancy. Even a skeptic, considering this remarkable accord of circumstances with the Biblical narrative, cannot but be convinced of its veracity; to the believer it comes as a wonderful conviction, a satisfactory corroboration or encouragement to see things as those who described them so graphically saw them so long ago.—Columbian Magazine.

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A couple of young men on the Market street viaduct the other evening offered a new version of an old saw. After they had passed a couple of Auburn-haired dandies one of the young men took his stand at the curb and gazed up and down the bridge.

"What are you looking for?" inquired his companion.

Pointing to the red-headed girl, the young man answered: "I'm trying to see a white automobile."—Youngstown Telegram.

He Knew.

A certain jurist was an enthusiastic golfer. Once he had occasion to interrogate in a criminal suit, a boy witness from Bala.

"Now, my lad," he said, "are you acquainted with the nature and significance of an oath?"

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